

Command Sergeant Major Timothy W. Burke

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U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School and Fort Sam Houston



Command Sergeant Major Timothy W. Burke is a native of Pennsylvania. He entered the Army in January 1977, attended Basic Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina and Advanced Individual Training for Veterinary Food Inspection Specialist and the Advanced Course for Veterinary Specialist at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Command Sergeant Major Burke earned an Associate of Arts Degree from the University of Maryland in 1990; in 1994 he earned his Bachelor of Science from Wayland Baptist University, graduating with honors; in 1996 he earned his Masters of Business Administration through Webster University. His military education includes the Primary Leadership Course, Basic Noncommissioned Officer Course, and was an honor graduate of the Advanced Noncommissioned Officer Course. He subsequently completed the Sergeant Major Course and the Command Sergeant Major Course.

Prior to his current assignment as the Command Sergeant Major, U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School and Fort Sam Houston, CSM Burke served as the Command Sergeant Major for the 30th Medical Brigade, Heidelberg, Germany. Other key assignments include Command Sergeant Major for the 421st Medical Evacuation Battalion, Wiesbaden, Germany; Chief Enlisted Instructor for the Department of Veterinary Sciences, U.S. Army Medical Department Center and School and a Self-Development Test Writer for the 91R MOS and Staff NCO at U.S. Army Veterinary Command (VETCOM), Ft Sam Houston, Texas; NCOIC of the Nuremberg Food Inspection Section, Nuremberg, Germany; NCOIC of the Fort Huachuca Veterinary Services, Ft Huachuca, AZ; Detachment Sergeant for the 21st Medical Detachment, Bremerhaven, Germany; NCOIC of the Fort Lewis Food Inspection Branch, Ft Lewis, Washington and Platoon Sergeant for a Provisional Medical Company at Fort Lewis during Desert Shield and Desert Storm.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Good Conduct Medal, National Defense Service Medal, NCO Professional Development Ribbon, Army Service Ribbon, and the Overseas Service Ribbon. He has earned the Expert Field Medical Badge and was awarded both the Order of Military Medical Merit and the Order of St. Michael. Through the German Army, he was awarded the Schutzenschnur.

CSM Burke is married with three children.